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1	3. By the date of the status conference, Dr. Saxton shall have produced all remaining
2	documents in her possession to the United States or submit a statement that no further documents have
3	been located.
4	Dated: July 12, 2023
5	Respectfully submitted,
6	HEATHER E. WILLIAMS
7	Federal Defender
8	By: <u>/s/ Eric V. Kersten</u> ERIC V. KERSTEN
9	Assistant Federal Defender Attorney for Respondent
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13	ORDER
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15	IT IS SO ORDERED. Respondent Ernestina M. Saxton, M.D., shall be released from custody
16	forthwith.
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19	IT IS SO ORDERED.
20	Dated: July 12, 2023
21	UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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